

CHINESE REDS DRIVEN FROM ISOLATED CITY

Associated Press Reports
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DIPLOMATS EYE CRISIS

Nanking, Dec. 23.—(P)—Nationalist warships at Tientsin, isolated Tientsin's port city, drove off attacking Communist forces today killing 1,500 of them, government sources said.

(Associated Press Correspondent Spencer Moosa in Peiping said many small Red attacks on the outskirts of Tientsin had been repulsed. Last night alone, he said, 800 Reds were killed or wounded, and as a result today the Communists were inactive.

Moosa quoted Gen. Fu Tso-Yi's headquarters in Peiping as saying the Reds were repulsed in almost every North China attack. Fu's headquarters said the Communists dared not attack Peiping directly because they know it is strongly fortified and the 2,000,000 inhabitants support the defenders wholeheartedly.

Moosa added that whether these residents would show their support was another question. In his opinion the people of Peiping want peace above all.

Nationalist forces in the Nanking area took advantage of bad weather which has eased the action north of here to throw up defenses south of the Yangtze toward which the Reds are creeping steadily. The pro-government Kiangnan Evening Post said the Nationalists had increased the number of watchposts along the eastern reaches of the Yangtze.

There was little military action immediately north of here.

The quiet was taken in some quarters to mean that peace feelers had been put out to the Communists by members of Premier Sun Fo's newly formed cabinet. But there was no official word from any source.

Estimate Made On Holiday Death Toll

Chicago, Dec. 23.—(P)—The nation's death toll resulting from traffic accidents over the Christmas holiday may total 265, the National Safety Council estimated today.

The Council's estimate covered only immediate traffic deaths—those killed between 6 p. m. Friday and midnight Sunday. The final toll may exceed the 265 estimate, the council said, due to delayed fatalities not immediately reported.

The estimate will be too high, the Council said, if two things happen: (1) if drivers and pedestrians use extra caution, especially in mixing gasoline and alcohol, and (2) if the weather generally is so bad that drivers must use extreme caution or stay at home.

"We are not trying to put a damper on Christmas cheer with this estimate," said Ned H. Dearborn, Council president. "On the contrary we feel that if drivers and pedestrians understand what can happen, based on past experience, they will make sure it doesn't happen to them. We hope this estimate is far too high."

Government Discloses Steady Decline In Costs of Living

Washington, Dec. 23.—(P)—Government figures today disclosed a continued decline in living costs in November.

The index of the Bureau Statistics for mid-November was down 8.10ths of one percent from a month earlier. The fall was due to a drop in food prices for the fourth consecutive month.

The first decline from a steady 1948 living cost climb came in mid-October. So today's figures recorded the second straight monthly decrease in cost of living.

The index measures the retail prices of goods and services purchased by moderate-income families in large cities. Food is the major item in the index.

Food prices have continued to go down slightly since mid-November. That points to a third decline in the living cost index when figures for mid-December become available.

Says U. S. Suspends Chinese Aid



(NEA Telephone)
ECA Administrator Paul C. Hoffman arrives at the White House to report to President Truman on his 16-day flying trip to Europe and the Far East. After his 30-minute talk with the President, Hoffman said that the long-range \$70,000,000 construction program for China has been suspended because of the critical situation there.

House Committee Ties Red Tag On 13 Officers In C. I. O.

Washington, Dec. 23.—(P)—The House Un-American Activities Committee tied a red tag today to 13 union officers in the C. I. O.

But it said the CIO has taken steps to purge itself.

Four of the men named by the committee as "Communist officers" are union presidents. They are Harry Bridges of the Longshoremen's Union, Ben Gold of the Fur and Leather Workers, Abram Flaxer of the United Public Workers of America, and Donald Henderson of the Food, Tobacco and Agricultural Workers.

In a report, in question and answer form, on "100 things you should know about Communism and labor," the committee also:

1. Warned the working man that if he went on strike under a Communist government, the government "would send soldiers around with guns, to kill you."

Question: "Kill me personally?" Answer: "To kill you, personally."

2. Listed 20 CIO unions in which it said Communist leadership was "strongly entrenched" in 1944. It said the Reds are "still in the saddle" in a number of them, such as the United Electrical Workers and Longshoremen's Unions.

In a war, the committee said, the Longshoremen could wreck the whole U. S. fighting power. It said the Electrical Workers Union has "at its mercy" leading plants making important parts for guns, tanks, torpedoes, range finders, sound detectors, motors, cameras and other vital equipment.

3. Named 33 organizations as Communist or Communist-front. (Turn to Page Eight)

Christmas Observance Starts For Nation's First Family

Independence, Mo., Dec. 23.—(P)—The Christmas celebration started early for President Truman.

A Christmas tree, 10-foot tall, stood today in the parlor of the big frame white house on north Delaware street where Mr. Truman bustled about in a holiday mood.

Mrs. Truman and the president's daughter, Margaret, had spent three hours Tuesday night decorating the tree to have it ready when Mr. Truman flew in from Washington by plane yesterday.

It was lit up last night when two groups of carolers got down to the business of serenading the White House family from the sidewalks bordering the spacious lawn.

The president listened from his study, but made no appearance. A light snow will fall over western Pennsylvania Christmas Eve, the weather bureau forecast today.

Not-too-cold temperatures, however, may prevent the section from enjoying a white Christmas. A low of 24 degrees was predicted for tonight, but the mercury is expected to climb to the low-30's tomorrow.

able a month from now. The index for mid-November was 173.2 percent of the 1935-39 average of 100. At this level, living costs were 4.4 percent above a year ago, 29.2 percent above June, 1946 when wartime price controls were abandoned, and 7.6 percent above August, 1939 when World War II began.

Foods alone dropped 1.8 percent from October to November. Clothing and house furnishings prices declined fractionally.

Foods in November were 2.4 percent higher than a year ago but 42.5 percent above the controlled price period of mid-1946.

Meats dropped most among the foods, but there were two percent declines in dairy products, fruits and vegetables, and fats and oils. Egg prices rose two percent and prices of sugar and sugar products advanced a bit.

NEW FIGHTING REPORTED ON NEGEV FRONT

Air and Ground Forces Believed Involved in Action Shattering Armistice Talks

CENSORSHIP IN FORCE

Tel Aviv, Israel, Dec. 23.—(P)—Fighting broke out today between Jewish and Egyptian forces along the Negev front.

Both air and ground forces were reported involved, shattering hopes for armistice talks soon between the two nations.

The Negev is the southern desert area of Palestine. It was assigned to Jews under the United Nations partition plan of 1947. An Israeli October offensive drove back Egyptian troops astride roads into the area and a brigade of Egyptians was bottled up at Faluja.

[Israel notified the United Nations Dec. 10 she was ready to negotiate a step by step release of the Faluja garrison, and to discuss demarcation lines throughout the area.]

The clashes began late last night between infantry and some armored forces in the vicinity of Nirim, a Jewish settlement within sight of Mount Sinai and about 12 miles east of the Egyptian frontier base at Rafah, an Israeli military spokesman said.

"Air forces used by both sides," he added.

After dawn today planes—presumed here to be Egyptian—bombed a large Jewish community southeast of Tel Aviv. Censorship did not permit the name of the community to be disclosed.

The extent of the fighting could not be judged from here immediately, but apparently it threatens to shatter the truce which has been in effect along the desert in recent weeks, from the Egyptian border to the Faluja pocket, where Egyptian forces are held in an Israeli trap.

The Egyptians were said by Israeli spokesmen yesterday to have demanded immediate release of all 3,000 as a condition of armistice talks, rather than a step-by-step release, as offered by Israel.

There was no indication yet that the Egyptians were attempting to break through the Faluja ring and free the trapped Egyptians. The Jews, however, were reinforced in dense positions there for just such an attack, should it develop.

CHANGES STORY ABOUT HOLDUP AND ROBBERY

Waynesburg, Dec. 23.—(P)—Justice Dept. has changed its mind about what happened to him on the Bobtown-Carmichael road last week. He says he wasn't shot by motorist and robbed of \$1,700, after all.

Cpl. John Rock of the state police said Orban, a 23-year-old Bobtown miner, admitted the whole thing was a hoax. Nobody offered him a ride in a car and then robbed him of the money he was going to use to buy his girl a car for Christmas. He spent the money.

Cpl. Rock reported: "Orban told us he promised his girl a car for Christmas and was afraid to tell her she wouldn't get it. So he just took his .22 rifle, hiked out along the road, shot himself where it wouldn't do much damage, threw the gun over the bank and waited for someone to come along and pick him up."

State police have dropped the case, Rock said, and will take no action against Orban.

GUNSHOT VICTIM

Pittsburgh, Dec. 23.—(P)—Eight-year-old Ralph Fate, wounded in the head by the accidental discharge of a 12-gauge shotgun Sunday night at his home at Edger, D. I. Washington county, was reported improved but still in critical condition today in St. Francis Hospital. The gun, which he and a brother, Robert, 5, had taken from a wall of their home, fell to the floor and discharged.

Trumans at Dennison Baby's Christening

Mrs. Florence Dennison of 207 East street, returned home from Washington this week where she attended the christening of her grandson, Robert Lee Dennison, Jr., 2½-month old son of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Robert Lee Dennison.

The event, attended by President and Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret, and many high Navy officials, took place Sunday, Dec. 12, in the Dennison home in Westchester Apartments, 4000 Cathedral avenue, N. W., Washington.

Commander William J. Kuhn of the Navy Chaplain Corps officiated at the ceremony, after which a reception was held in the apartment. The baby received many lovely gifts, including a silver cup from the President and his staff and a silver knife, fork and spoon from the Trumans.

Rear Admiral Dennison, a native of Warren, formerly commanded the battleship Missouri and is now serving as the President's naval aide.

Tojo's Hangman?



(NEA Telephone)
Although not confirmed by the Army, it was believed the executioner of the seven top Japanese war criminals was Lt. Charles Rexroad, of San Rafael, Calif. Rexroad, who has handled many Pacific war crimes executions, left his home in Yokohama early in the evening and told a guard he would not be back until 6 a. m.

Autopsy Fails To Clear Up Duggan Leap

New York, Dec. 23.—(P)—A member of the House Un-American Activities Committee has given the late Laurence Duggan a clean bill of health in connection with spy-ring activities.

Rep. Richard M. Nixon (R-Calif.) said on a television broadcast last night from Washington that recent developments had cleared the former State Department expert in "this espionage case."

His statement came as a New York City medical examiner reported that autopsy showed "no evidence of criminality" in Duggan's fatal 16-story fall from a Manhattan office Monday night.

The autopsy report read: "Fell or jumped from 16th floor." The same verdict remained on police records as detectives continued a painstaking investigation of the death on orders of Mayor William O'Dwyer. They expected to finish the probe by noon today.

Meanwhile, these were the developments in the spy investigations:

Date for the trial of Alger Hiss, ex-state department official charged with perjury, was postponed from Jan. 24 to Feb. 24. He is accused of lying when he denied he gave secret documents to Whittaker Chambers, one-time Communist courier.

In Washington, the house committee called a closed session today for questioning of Francis B. Sayre, former assistant secretary of state in whose office Hiss was a top assistant.

Nixon's comments last night concerning Duggan were prompted by statement by Chambers that Duggan never had furnished him any confidential documents.

Nixon said this statement "clearly clears Mr. Duggan."

A little later, Rep. Karl Mundt (R-SD), acting chairman of the house committee, went on the air in defense of his release of testimony that implicated Duggan in the Communist probe.

FATALLY HURT

Indiana, Pa., Dec. 23.—(P)—James Conner, 59, of Clymer, was killed yesterday while making repairs to his truck at Commodore Junction, 15 miles north of here. Dr. E. L. Fleming, Indiana county coroner, said Conner's head was crushed between the dump body and the truck.

Sweeping Tax Plan Mapped By State Legislative Committee

Harrisburg, Dec. 23.—(P)—Republican and Democratic leaders today studied a sweeping proposal for three new state income taxes, including one hitting doctors, dentists and lawyers, in place of the present \$113,000,000 a year levies on business.

The surprise recommendations came from a tax study committee created by the 1947 legislature to draft a plan for modernizing Pennsylvania's tax system.

The committee proposed:

A new one and a half per cent tax on the income of all unincorporated businesses such as stores or partnerships and of professions including attorneys, physicians and dentists.

A state levy of four per cent on all investment income. A new business tax under which every corporation would pay at least \$25 a year, or three mills on its active capital or five to six per cent on its net income, whichever is the greater.

On the other hand, it called for the repeal of the 1947 soft drink tax; the present corporate net income tax; the capital stock, corporate franchise and corporate loans taxes and the county four mill personal property tax.

The program was filed with the general assembly's joint state government commission for submission to Governor James H. Duff and the 1949 legislature.

Duff, who has indicated he is opposed to reduction on taxes in face of the increased needs for funds, was silent on the program.

Democratic State Chairman Philip Matthews also withheld comment. He said he wants time to study the recommendations in detail before making any comment at all.

Dutch Reported Slaying Civilians In Indonesia

Late Buying Splurge Causing Month's Retail Sales to Soar

New York, Dec. 23.—(P)—As Christmas shoppers trudged through the final hours of their weary rounds today, a late buying splurge promised to skyrocket the nation's retail store sales for December to an all-time high.

Incomplete reports indicated the dollar sales volume for the month might reach \$13,000,000,000 about three per cent higher than 1947's record.

Despite a decline in November sales that left retailers gasping, limited reports received by Dun & Bradstreet research agency, make it appear that this month will be the granddaddy of them all and that 1948 will prove to be the greatest retail sales year in history.

On the preliminary basis of December figures, the total dollar volume for 1948 would be about eight to 10 per cent above the \$118,000,000,000 total sales reported in 1947, the top year.

Although the Christmas shopping season started later than usual this year and idled through November, it finally took hold during the first two weeks of December when, incomplete data shows, retail trade rose 10 to 15 per cent.

Pre-Christmas mark-down sales and December clearings began whetting consumer interest.

The report to Dun & Bradstreet said there was a rising demand for luxury goods, but shoppers generally sought practical gifts, with an eye on both quality and price. Interest in nothing went up moderately, although absent was the eager demand for home appliances that marked the 1947 Christmas season.

Despite many dire predictions, it looks as if retailers for many years hence may look back on December, 1948, as the month of "the great dollar blizzard."

Tojo And War Makers Give Lusty "Banzai" Shouts As They March To The Gallows

Tokyo, Dec. 23.—(P)—Hideki Tojo and three of his six war maker companions gave lusty "banzai" shouts before they were hanged in Sugamo prison today.

The last act of defiance by the four of the seven old condemned men came in the little Buddhist temple near the death house, Shinso Hanayama, the priest who attended them, said.

The banzai cry—the traditional Japanese cheer which translates into the rather meaningless "ten thousand years"—featured the last charges of many Japanese soldiers in the great war. Tojo and his companions also shouted for a greater Nippon before going to the gallows, the priest said.

Tojo, whose military clique plotted and ordered the infamous Pearl Harbor attack and plunged half the world into its greatest war, asked for a drink of sake before he went to his death. But he had to be content with glass of water, the priest said.

The priest described Tojo and the other three of the first four hanged shortly after midnight as almost jauntily.

Tojo, said the priest, left a message for the world which he was forbidden by occupation authorities to make public. It was a poem, which the priest translated roughly:

"It is goodbye
"Over the mountains I go today
"To the bosom of Buddha
"So happy am I."

As news of the hangings spread through Japan temple bells tolled for world peace in village and town.

Peace prayers were offered by millions in Buddhist and Shinto temples. The Japanese people acted on the hint of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. The general had expressed the wish that peace prayers would be offered the day of the executions.

The traps were sprung on Tojo and three others at 12:01½ a. m. (10:01½ a. m. Wednesday EST). Those who died with the 64-year-old Tojo were Gen. Kenji Doihara, 64, creator of the puppet regime in China, and Singapore's 1945 commander, Gen. Iwano Matsui, 70, whose troops raped Nanking, and Gen. Aldira Muto, 66, war ministry planning brain.

The second group, General Itagaki, instigator of the Manchurian conquest, Gen. Jettaro Kimura, 60, Tojo's friend and vice war minister, and Gen. Hiroshi Terauchi, 60, were to be hanged tomorrow. (Turn to Page Eight)

Year - Long Christmas Spirit Only Desire of Alias Santa

Alias Santa Claus was busier than a clerk at the exchange desk of a big department store on the day after Christmas as he packed box after box of toys, clothing, fruit and candy for needy youngsters and older folks, but the office staff interrupted him long enough to say:

"Say Alias Santa, what do you want for Christmas? You've been working so hard here helping others, but you haven't even so much as dropped a little hint of what you might like for Christmas."

Alias Santa straightened up, worked a crick out of his back. Then after seemingly turning over the office staff's query in his mind, he said:

"There's only one thing I really want for Christmas. No, it's not any kind of a trinket, or anything for myself. But what I'd would like more than anything else in all the world would be for people to keep alive the Christmas Spirit every day of the year."

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CHARGE MADE AFTER PROBE BY UN GROUP

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TORCH IS BEING USED

Batavia, Java, Dec. 23.—(P)—Reports that Dutch troops are killing Indonesian civilians were relayed to the United Nations Security Council today.

The U. N. Good Offices Committee cabled the charge after the return to Batavia of 18 of its personnel from Kallorang, a mountain resort above Jogjakarta, where they had been isolated four days.

"A number of shots were fired by the advancing Netherlands forces," the committee said. "Gunfire was heard intermittently during the days following (the Dutch invasion of Republican territory Sunday)."

"There were reports of the fatal shooting of an unarmed boy by an Ambonese soldier of the Netherlands forces was personally witnessed by a member of the secretariat staff and his young daughter."

(In Paris, Australia demanded that the United Nations expel Holland unless she stops her attack on the Indonesian republic.

"This is worse than Hitler did to the Netherlands in 1940," Col. W. R. Hodgson of Australia told the Security Council; it is "the first clear-cut deliberate violation of the U. N. charter by a member."

(U. S. officials studied whether the Dutch attack on Indonesia justifies shutting off Marshall plan funds to Holland, which has received about \$300,000,000 this year already. One recovery fund official said "if the hostilities bring an important drain on the Netherlands economy, ECA will take that into account.")

(The Australian delegate told the Security Council the Dutch notified the Republican truce delegation of their repudiation of the treaty only 15 minutes before cutting lines to interior Java and "then proceeded to arrest the very people that they had been negotiating with.")

(Despite the American displeasure (Turn to Page Eight)

Kentuckian Asks Scott Resignation

Washington, Dec. 23.—(P)—A defeated Republican senator today called on Rep. Hugh Scott (Pa.) to resign as GOP national chairman.

The suggestion came from Senator John Sherman Cooper of Kentucky who also told a reporter he has been contacted about failing over Scott's job. Cooper said he doesn't want it "even if I could have it."

The Kentuckian lost his senate seat to Rep. Virgil Chapman in the November election which gave the Democrats control of congress and President Truman a new four-year term as the White House.

Cooper has backed the Republican leadership on various issues in the senate, but he has not been regarded as a party renegade.

Cooper said he has nothing against Scott personally but feels the party ought to make "a fresh, clean start" under new leadership.

Scott was elected for his job as Republican chairman by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York.

The defeated GOP presidential nominee has not spoken out regarding Scott's future. But Scott himself has left no doubt that he will fight to retain his post.

Cooper said: "The party chairman ought to be someone in no way identified with any candidate, or with defeat in the past."

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Bid Reported For Project At State Hospital

The Department of Properties and Supplies received an \$83,500 bid from Harry Dougherty and Son, Inc., of Freeport, for changes in the water distribution system at the Warren State Hospital, according to an Associated Press dispatch received from Harrisburg today.

The work will involve altering some of the pipe lines connecting with a reservoir, and also relocation of several hydrants on the state hospital property.

Two other construction projects already are under way at the hospital.

Some of the foundation for the hospital's new dairy barns, have been laid at the Cranbrook farm on the east bank of Conewango creek, and the abutments for a steel bridge spanning Conewango creek, linking State Hospital properties are being put in place.

The new barn will replace one destroyed by fire nearly two years ago.

Yule Party Is Given Janitors At Guth Bldg.

Seven patients, who perform janitor work in the Guth Building, where male employees are housed at Warren State Hospital, were guests at a Christmas party given by their tenants yesterday afternoon.

Two poinsettias flanked a Jerusalem cherry plant as a centerpiece for the table and each place was set with pad and napkin featuring Christmas figures and colors. A menu of fruit, crackers and cheese, sandwiches, pickles, ice cream, coffee and soft drinks was served the guests.

A Christmas tree in the room was trimmed with candy canes and pop corn balls which were distributed during the afternoon. Music was provided by records of Christmas carols.

A gift box was presented each of the guests by the matron of the building, Mrs. Dorothy Leslie, who was assisted by Lois Holter.

A most enjoyable afternoon was had by all present.

Times Topics

HONOR TO BE PAID COUNTY FFA MEMBERS

An Associated Press dispatch from State College today brings news that three members from Warren county and one from nearby Forest will be among 172 vocational agriculture students to be honored with the Keystone degree of the Future Farmers of America at the State Farm Show in Harrisburg next month. The local candidates for degrees are David Eckstrom, Sugar Grove; Paul F. Perkins and John W. Withington, Youngsville, and Paul Bloom of Tionesta.

HUSHING CANINES

Over in Truistville, under new orders of Mayor C. C. Hampton, police Wednesday began calling owners of dogs which bark at midnight.

OFFICES CLOSING

Those who have occasion to visit any of the various state agencies in the community are reminded they will be closed all day Friday as well as Saturday, resuming business on Monday morning.

STORE CLOSING NOTICE

The retail committee of the Chamber of Commerce announces the fact that the stores will be closed next week on Friday, December 31, New Year's Eve, at five o'clock.

HEARTS AND FLOWERS

At least one big store in the Warren business district already is tearing down the tinsel and Christmas bells, and replacing them with big red hearts for Valentine's Day.

INJURES FOOT

Georgia Wright, of Youngsville, was treated at Warren General Hospital Wednesday after she had stepped on a nail at the Paramount Furniture plant and suffered a puncture wound in her foot.

GIVING AWAY PUPPY

Delores Nelson, 670 Beech street would like to find a good home for her six months old collie puppy, and anyone who would like the little animal may call her, 1413M, or see it at her home.

PRODUCTION REPORT

Production of crude oil, in a slump for two weeks, rose in both the Allegheny and Bradford fields last week. In the Bradford field it shot up nearly 4,000 barrels a day to an average daily production of 31,450. In the Allegheny field it rose 206 barrels to an average production of 9,738.

PET COMES HOME

Pepper, tan cocker spaniel lost by the Louis Mathis family, Jefferson and Buchanan streets, was back home safely last night trailing several feet of rope which had been used to tie him up and which he had chewed through to free himself.

YOUNG ROLLS 677

Joe Young, former Warren bowler, is cracking the maples in the Classic League on the Recreation alleys in Bradford, this week blasted out a new league high of 677 sticks. He started out with 215, added a big 248 for his second try, and then finished with a 214.

KENDALL ELECTION

All officers and members of the board of directors of the Kendall Refining Company of Bradford were reelected at the monthly meeting of the company, it was announced Wednesday. J. Bertram Fisher is president. At the same time, the company declared a 40-cent share dividend on the capital stock, payable January 7, 1949, to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 27.

GAME FEEDING PROJECT

Winter game-feeding from the air got under way earlier than usual in Clearfield county Wednesday when three pilots defied bad flying weather to carry corn to deer and other game animals whose natural supply of food has been curtailed by the unusually deep snow. More than 10 bushels of corn was taken aloft by the pilots who worked their way over the deep retreats of game in Mulligan Hollow, Mapleton Hill and neighboring sections of Center county, where they released the grain.

FOR CHRISTMAS

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Times Topics

KANE RECRUITING

Kane units of the Pennsylvania National Guard Wednesday announced plans to keep the business section recruiting office open until January 1. Ten men have been added to headquarters and Headquarters Company and Company M since the offices were opened, and recruiting officers reported at least that number of "interested prospects." Kane's units are staging a determined effort to retain their identity in Kane and they need many more recruits to bring up their rolls to authorized strength. One unit will be lost if the strength required by the National Guard setup, is not reached and maintained.

PARTY AT WHITE HOUSE

A group of sixty executives and employees of the Sherwood Refinery and Chemical Company enjoyed a get-together party at the popular White House Inn on Conewango Extension. All who attended were most enthusiastic about the excellent service rendered by the popular host Dennis Di Piero and the hostess Mrs. Mary Di Piero. The excellency of the food served as well as the general hospitality of this public catering place is much appreciated by those who like privacy with their entertainment. They are having many private parties during the holiday season and can arrange for any sort of party on short notice.

EVENTS TONIGHT

6:00, PHC supper-meeting-party 7:30, Elks Bridge Club.
7:30, VFW-Auxiliary children's party.
7:30, Home League, Salvation Army.
7:45, WSM, Salem church.
8:00, Kossuth Encampment.

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Amusements
Howard Hawks' Great Western
Epic "Red River" Starring John Wayne at the Library, Friday Through Tuesday
Movie fans who like their film fare set against the great outdoors, should have a wonderful time seeing Howard Hawks' great western, "Red River," the Monterey production which opens Friday through Tuesday at the Library Theater through United Artists release. The film is packed with action, colorful characterizations and suspense - packed drama.
John Wayne, whose name at once arouses thoughts of a rugged and vital personality, plays to the hilt the heroic role of Thomas Dunson, a romantic character whose dream of building a cattle empire in the great Southwest forms the nucleus of the film's story.
Young Montgomery Clift, as his adopted son, Matthew Garth, also turns in a performance that is as brilliant as it is different. Clift, who made a hit on the Broadway stage, is a comparative newcomer to films. His one prior appearance, in "The Search," a film made in Europe, earned for him the plaudits of both discerning critics and the public alike.
Co-starred with Wayne and Clift are Walter Brennan, playing one of those delightful, crochety characters he has made famous, and a lovely young star named Joanne Dru, who has already made her mark in Hollywood.
"Red River" is a Western saga adopted from Borden Chase's exciting Saturday Evening Post serial, "The Chisholm Trail." Mr. Chase also wrote the script in collaboration with Charles Schnee. The story tells of Thomas Dunson's safari from Texas to Kansas, as the head of a group of over five hundred cowboys who are bringing north a herd of cattle numbering in the thousands, to what they trust will be a railroad, thus opening up the entire market of the east to Texas cattle-men.

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Times Topics

OFFICE CLOSING
The Children's Aid Society reminds that its office will be closed all day Friday, as well as on Christmas Day.

STATEMENT CLARIFIED
Miles Horst, Pennsylvania secretary of agriculture, stated Monday, in clarifying an earlier statement, that oral arguments will be heard on the Crawford county Bang's disease control controversy, but that no witnesses could appear to produce new testimony.

AUTO RETAILER DIES
Morris M. Mercatoris, 78-year-old pioneer of the automobile retail business in Meadville and a leading figure in the establishment of the Meadville Vocational school, died at 4:30 p. m. Monday in his home in Meadville. Surviving, besides his son, Clarence, are three grandsons and two great grandsons.

CORRY CANCELLATIONS
With an average of 30,000 mail cancellations being recorded daily at the Corry post office, it continues to appear that December will set a new high in activity at that office, according to Postmaster James Sullivan, who estimated that more than 100,000 greetings and packages already had been handled by Monday, during the Christmas season.

FAVORS LICENSE CHANGE
The Crawford county branch of the Sportsman's council, meeting in Meadville Monday, advocated non-resident hunters license of \$20 for small game and \$15 for larger game. Secretary Anthony Thomas was directed to forward the resolution to the secretary of the Northwestern Division, Pennsylvania Federation of Sportsmen's clubs.

UNUSUAL TAX
Titusville city council Monday passed first and second readings of an ordinance levying a one-mill tax on "gross receipts of all social clubs and fraternal organizations and associations maintaining clubrooms or other quarters where food, drink or refreshments are sold." The ordinance, covering club bars and slot machines, excludes membership and initiation fees.

ABANDONMENT CHARGED
Charged with abandonment of minor children, Mrs. Margaret Brown of Meadville was confined to Crawford county jail Monday afternoon in default of \$1,000 bail. She pleaded guilty to the charge as filed before Alderman S. G. MacTarnaghan by Miss Helen C. Easterwood, juvenile court probation officer. Mrs. Brown has seven children ranging in age from four months to 13 years, officers stated.

Is Given Promotion in Marine Reserves
The United States Marine Corps Headquarters, Fourth Reserve District, announces the promotion of Harry A. Young, 104 West Fifth avenue, Warren, to the rank of first lieutenant in the Marine Reserves.
Lt. Young was born at Sheffield, where he attended high school and took a prominent part in athletics. Entering the Marine Corps in 1942 as a private, he was commissioned a second lieutenant in the field after Saipan campaign. In addition, he saw action in the Tinian and Okinawa campaigns, serving with the famed Second Marine Division, and spending two years and five months overseas. He was awarded the Bronze Star, Purple Heart with gold star, and the Presidential Unit Citation, as well as the various theatre medals.

BUY U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

Plans Ready For Annual Kiddies' Show
Everything is in readiness for the annual community show for kiddies to be staged at the Library theatre Friday morning at ten o'clock under the sponsorship of the theatre management, the Elks and Moose lodges, the Warren Times-Mirror and the Rapp Dance Studio.
The committee in charge announces that Santa Claus will be on hand to present candy and oranges to the youngsters and Richard Rapp reports that he has a high-class program arranged including acrobatic dancing, clowns, cowboys, dancing dolls, etc., with Miss Audrey Spindler, vocalist, from Detroit, Mich., as guest star. "Dumbo," the circus clown, will meet children at the door and personally see to it that no one leaves the theatre without being well amused and entertained.
The Warren City Lines will furnish transportation for the kiddies from the Children's Home.
Manager George Sarvis announces there will be a program of movies consisting of a feature and comedies.

County Man Arrested For Stealing Hay
Titusville Herald: A Warren county man pleaded guilty before Alderman N. Allen Love Tuesday to the larceny of 83 bales of hay. He paid \$41.50 for the hay and \$6.95 for costs.
He was arrested by Constable Theodore Raegle of Hydetown, who gave this account of the incident:
The Warren county man, who used a work team in skidding logs in the area, rented a barn from a Route 1, Titusville man as a place to shelter the horses. In the barn were 83 bales of hay belonging to a third person, and the team owner was warned not to use that hay.
The owner of the barn, being ill, was not able to check the comings and goings of the team owner, but thought the latter was bringing hay at intervals from his home to feed the horses. It developed, however, that all the time he was using the baled hay, he found in the barn.
When the owner found 83 bales had been fed to the horses, he asked for the return of an equivalent amount of hay. The teamster promised to do so and brought 40 bales of hay to the barn. But these he also red to his team. When that hay ran out he took his horses through a back entrance and went back to Warren county.
When arrested, he said, "Yes, I fed the hay to my horses, but if I pay up now I don't know what my kids will do for Christmas."
Told he should have thought of that before he appropriated hay that did not belong to him, he proceeded to make restitution.

Santa Claus In Real Life Lives In Iowa
Ottumwa, Ia.—The man whose peculiar destiny it is to go through life named Santa Claus has mailed answers to 500 children's letters this week.
The Rev. Santa Claus has run up a huge personal postal bill along about Christmas time, because he accepts delivery of letters addressed "Santa Claus." He said so far he has been able to answer almost every one.
It all started in 1929, when he was working in Kansas City and was injured. He was hospitalized 76 days. A fellow patient learned his name, and gleefully informed a newspaper that "Santa Claus has broken his leg."
Then the mail started pouring in. He and Mrs. Claus have prepared separate letters for boys and girls. They enclose a check on the "Bank of Happiness" with each reply.
"Sometimes we see from the letter that there will be no Christmas for the writer, unless someone pitches in," Santa Claus said. "Then we try by telephone and letter to the clubs or Chamber of Commerce in the town where the child lives, to assure that some gift comes to him on December 25."
Over the years, the life of a mission preacher has not combined well with the huge postal bill in December. He laughs about this, and notes that many people have helped.

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WORLD NEEDS YEAR-LONG YULE SPIRIT

"Peace on earth, good will to men?" What a laugh! We've heard people express themselves to that effect. They may be cynics who tell you that Christmas is just a tremendous commercialized promotion by manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers to snag off the sentimentalists' dollars. They may be the people who, weary of the seemingly endless grist of depressing headlines describing violent words and violent clashes between man and man. These people, with, perhaps excusable bitterness, will tell you that "Peace on earth, good will to men," never did exist, does not now exist and never will exist.

But they are wrong. And happily, they are in the minority. For there truly is a Christmas spirit. You could almost feel it during the weeks just before Christmas, when, as the holiday drew closer, people seemed to become nicer. They were more tolerant of each other. They didn't push and shove in the stores, even though overcrowded aisles put a strain on patience. There were understanding smiles where ordinarily there would be frowns of annoyance.

Yes, there certainly is a spirit of good will abroad. And it affects people of all kinds and creeds rather than those to whom Christmas has a special religious significance. Today you find thousands of people partaking of Christmas—the good will part, the making other people happy part—who, a few generations ago would not have done so. Today, in the United States, Christmas is celebrated by the vast majority of us because most of us, no matter what our faith, enjoy the feeling of goodness and inner peace engendered by the season.

The tragedy of it all is that this "era of good feeling" is so fleeting. After Christmas, the gay trees come down, the songs are stilled. We tend to revert to our year-long habits of self-centered thinking and forget about the other fellow—at whom we smiled so warmly during Christmas week.

Perhaps some day the Christmas spirit will last the year around. That's a large order to fill and will take some doing. But we can reflect that, at least in this country, there is wider diffusion of the Christmas spirit today than there used to be. Maybe it WILL spread to the rest of the world. It certainly would make the world a much nicer place.

THE EVERGREEN

The New York Times

Now comes that holiday season when evergreen decks the mantel and brightens the doorway and stands in tinsel and glitter in the living room, the green of life in the midst of winter, symbol of hope and faith reborn.

One need not go into the history of the custom or investigate its adoption as part of the Christian Christmas to understand the aptness as well as the beauty of the evergreen tradition. The pine, the spruce and the hemlock, as well as their more venerable kin, the ground pine and ground cedar, know no leafless season. For them there is no time of naked exposure to the gray winds and the white frost. On their boughs and branches the green of life and continuity remains for any eye to see throughout all the months and all the years. Small wonder that the ancients turned to the evergreen when the day shrank to a few hours of feeble sunlight, finding in its undiminished green new strength for their own belief that no winter lasts forever.

And even the most ancient of the ancients must have known this, for the pines have been on this earth more years than man can count without turning to the chart of geology. Fifty million years, some say, and others say a hundred million, dealing in numbers which, in terms of one man's life, lose all meaning. The first men saw the pines; put it that way. And when the first men saw them the pines were already old, older than man's oldest myths.

So we go forth now to bring the boughs indoors and deck them with light and color, and feel an unspoken kinship with enduring things. They help us to remember, and to believe, and to catch, if only fleetingly, a sense of hope and understandable eternity.

A girl in a Kansas town won a prize for a good roads slogan. It made no mention of walking home.

Every married man's pay envelope shows the effect of the feminine touch.

It's an ill wind that blows a man's own horn.

The Man Who Shot Santa Claus



Here And There

Fifty years ago most of the Christmas trees sold in the borough were strictly local products, cut from nearby woods and brought into the market for sale, and according to The Mirror, the demand was not very keen until just a few days before the holiday. From the columns of the December 23rd edition of the paper, we reprint the following: "The sale of Christmas trees has commenced in earnest and from now until Saturday night the men and boys will be kept busy supplying the demand. Considering the trouble and expense of bringing the trees to market the prices asked are very reasonable. In past years any kind of pine or spruce tree would be used, but now the public taste has drifted towards the spruce, owing to the fact that these bushes will not drop their leaves or needles like the others and are consequently much cleaner. Holly, ground pine and evergreen find a ready sale, being used extensively for interior decorating. There is also some mistletoe in the market, but the demand for this is limited."

This And That: Dinner was served to approximately 150 men and children last Thursday evening in the First Methodist church at Kane as the First Methodist Men's organization entertained the children from the Ruth M. Smith Home in Sheffield. Men of the church drove to Sheffield to take the children to Kane and after the entertainment drove them back to the home. There were 44 children and five members of the staff of the home. One thing about that machine in the post office.

NETWORK PROGRAMS

Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to fit local schedules. Last minute program changes cannot be included.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23

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Daytime Summary

Selected programs as listed below are broadcast at the same time Monday through Friday. Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour; for mountain standard subtract two hours.

DEC. 20 THROUGH DEC. 24

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9:00—Honey Moon in N. Y.—nbc
9:15—Barnyard Follies—nbc
9:30—The Clevelandaires—nbc
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Afternoon
12:00—Welcome Travelers—nbc
12:15—Welcome Travelers—nbc
12:30—Words and Music—nbc
12:45—Words and Music—nbc
1:00—Music Half Hour—nbc
1:15—Happy Gang—nbc
1:30—Double or Nothing—nbc
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ed last Sunday as the first of a two-part holiday series. The repeat will go on the air Friday night in the two-hour Christmas Eve schedule running from eleven p. m. until two a. m., Saturday morning. . . . Many readers clipped from Wednesday's issue the list of entries in the Outdoor Residence Christmas Lighting contest, planning to tour the districts over the holidays. The suggestion has been made that all displays be lighted at least over the weekend so that those who desire may have an opportunity to tour the town and see them. . . . Nice to have former employees of the Times-Mirror returning to town for the holidays, drop in and say hello. For instance, there's Molly Wroth, attending school at Geneva-on-the-Lake, N. Y., Dick Harris, home from W. & J. at Washington, Pa., and Dave Brown, back from Harvard—without the accent. . . . There'll be a whale of a crowd of kiddies at the Library theater tomorrow morning when the Elks, Moose, Warner Brothers and Rapp Dance School play host at the annual Christmas party for children of the community, and a bang-up program has been arranged.

BIRTHDAYS

December 24

Eva May Fuller
Richard Beshlin
Ray Gerould
Charles Hoag
Carl McIntyre
Mrs. J. W. Dobson
Joseph James Sullivan
Jack Curtis Farquhar
Mrs. William A. Greaves
Clair Young
John Zaviniski
Floyd C. Rustice
Richard H. Enos
Mrs. Goldie Merry
Ella McCabe
Kenneth Anderson
Gail Elwood Cobb
Gordon E. Wilcox
Ralph E. Sullivan, Sr.
Sylvia Erickson
Gust Uhr
W. S. Hoskins
Clifford Anderson
David Carlson
Floyd G. Carter
Elizabeth A. Stengel

American Artist

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Community Activities In Youngsville Are Enjoyed

Youngsville, Dec. 23—A large audience greatly enjoyed the annual community sing held in the high school auditorium under the sponsorship of the local PTA, with Mrs. Engstrom, president of the unit, in charge.

Rev. John Bargar, pastor of the Free Methodist church, opened the program by reading the story of the first Christmas as told in St. Luke.

Numbers were given by local church choirs as follows: "Come Worship the New-born King", Evangelical United Brethren choir of 22 voices; anthem on the theme "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field", Methodist choir, directed by Elton Barton; also a pleasing Christmas hymn sung by the high school girls' choir, directed by Harvey Horn; male quartet from the Free Methodist church, consisting of Frank Hendrickson, Lee Rogers, Kenneth Dinny and Ralph Horn; beautiful anthem sung by the choir of Saron Lutheran church, with Miss Lillian Swanson as director and pianist and Mrs. E. W. Carlson as soloist; male chorus from the Evangelical United Brethren church.

The final portion of the program was in the form of assembly singing, with a great variety of Christmas songs and carols. The words for these were thrown on a screen and all choruses were led by Harvey Horn, school music supervisor.

The closing number was the ever-favorite carol, "Silent Night" followed by a prayer and the benediction by Rev. Harold Lindquist.

At 2:30 p. m. Tuesday in the high school auditorium, the PTA and grade school teachers sponsored a pleasing program by the second, third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Mrs. Wendell Engstrom, PTA president, was in charge, with program numbers presented as follows:

Second Grade: Song of Christmas—Karin Swanson, Charles Hain, Timothy Wise and Connie Brown; Heigh-ho for Christmas—Jan Agnew, Rebecca McKinney, Susan Haley, Charles Engstrom, Linda Wingard, Kenneth Genus and Carolyn Bilsborough.

Third-Fourth Grades: Playlet—Emmy Lou's Christmas—Emmy Lou, Linda Rapp; Sally Haley;

Fairy King, Michael Kerchak; poor boy and girl, Glen Anderson and Barbara Bilsborough; also a group of faeries.

Harvey Horn, music supervisor, directed a group of pupils from the grades playing on tonettes, including several Christmas songs and closing with "Silent Night". Fifth-Sixth Grades: Playlet—Alex Johnson's Christmas—Alex Johnson, Denny Engstrom; Mary Johnson, Jo Carol Davis; Jennie Lawrie, Judy Halfast; Don Ferguson, Arwin Chamberlin; Tony Becker, Elwood Brooks.

The entire program was very well given and received with considerable applause from the appreciative audience.

A business session of the PTA followed the program.

Enlistments In Air Force Unrestricted

M/Sgt. Donald F. Miller of the local recruiting station in the post office building, announced today that the U. S. Air Force is continuing to accept applicants without restriction as to quota for the balance of December. However, it is estimated that in January, the quota policy will again be in effect, and only several men a month will be accepted from this area.

"At the present time, stated the Sgt., the enlistments in the U. S. Air Force are wide open for high school and non high school graduates who can qualify, and all applicants are urged to contact me at once at room 207 Post Office Building or by telephoning 2670."

The recruiting Sgt. went on to say that any applicant who enlists at the present time will be given a 10-day delay or furlough in order that he may spend the Christmas and New Year holidays at home. He will not have to report for duty until after the second of January, and his pay will start from the date of enlistment.

BARNES

Barnes, Dec. 21—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnes and their children, Jack Barnes and the Misses Jean and Bette Lou Barnes, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Roberts Sunday. They were in town to attend the wedding of Miss Marjorie Hoyer and Raymon Billstone.

The Boys' Class of the Barnes Methodist church held its Christmas party in the church basement Tuesday evening.

Members of the choir of the Methodist church went about town singing Christmas carols after regular practice Monday evening.

Jack Hoffman, who is attending electrical school in Detroit, Mich., will arrive in town this week, to spend Christmas with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dole are spending the holidays visiting in Salem, Ohio.

Mrs. Harold Stover entertained the Thimble Club at her home Wednesday evening for its annual Christmas party. A cooperating dinner was served at six o'clock and during the evening "capsule friends" exchanged gifts. Games and contests provided the evening's entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Silvis and William Trostle, of Corry, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Silvis Sunday. Mrs. Silvis is still confined to her bed on account of illness, and her

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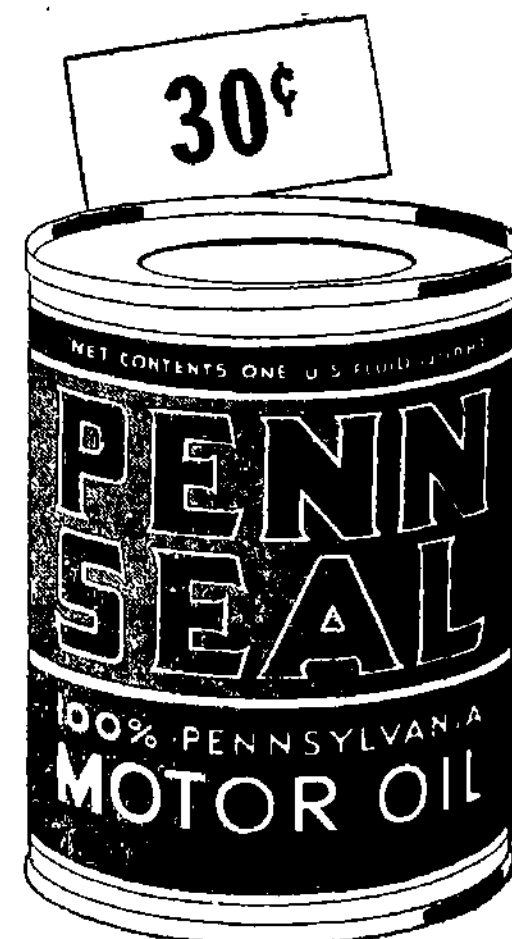
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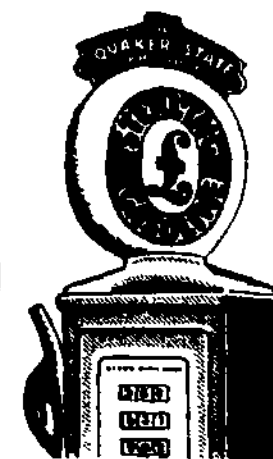
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daughter, Mrs. Edith Ruffner, of Corry, is caring for her.

Mrs. E. E. Spicer is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Armitage, Mrs. Myra Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacMartin and son, Fred, of Corry, and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Miller and children, Myra Lou and George, of Erie, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaw Sunday.

Mrs. Bertrand R. Hoyer and children, Ruth Ann, Carol and Randy, of Oil City, were guests at the home of Mr. Hoyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hoyer, from Friday until Sunday evening.

A. L. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rice and Bert, were up from Oil City to attend the Billstone-Hoyer wedding and they all went home together.

The pupils of the Barnes school presented their Christmas program at the schoolhouse Monday afternoon, with a nice crowd of

awards will be given to the pupils of the school having perfect attendance. This year, six Bibles will be given to those who for the first time have had perfect attendance. Eighteen others have earned pins and bars. Mrs. Harrison Wolfe has had perfect attendance for the longest period of time and will receive her 13th bar at this time. All are invited and urged to attend.

The members of the WSCS of the local church were entertained at the Methodist parsonage in Sheffield last Thursday evening at a delightful Christmas party. Mrs. George Christian presented a number of contests; gifts were exchanged and refreshments of cookies, sandwiches and coffee were served. About twenty ladies were present.

Mrs. Ed Rudolph has had the misfortune to break one of the small bones in her ankle. She has been admitted to the Warren hospital and friends present. The school closed Tuesday afternoon for its annual Christmas vacation.

The Methodist Sunday school will present its annual Christmas program in the church Sunday

evening. The exercises starting at 7:30 o'clock. At this time the General Hospital several times during the past week for x-rays and casts and hopes to be able to get about the house again soon.

We are very sorry to report that Frank Gallagher is again suffering from an attack of pneumonia. It will be remembered that he spent several weeks of May and June in the Warren General Hospital with a similar attack. We wish for him a speedy return to health.

Raymond Alling, who is employed by the Standard Oil Company in Barcelona, Venezuela, South America, and has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Alling, left Erie Sunday afternoon by American Airline for Little Rock, Ark. He spent most of last week in Toxas City, Mich., where he visited his sisters and brothers-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. August Goedecke and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ziehl. Mrs. Alling, who has been living in Russellville, Ark., will accompany him back to South America, where he will resume his work February first.

Mrs. Edna Hain, of Youngsville, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Brandt, Saturday and Sunday.

Raymond Hahn, Jr., arrived home from Edinboro State Teachers' College Tuesday evening to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hahn, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lyle will arrive here from Pittsburgh Friday to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lyle, of Barnes, and Mr. and Mrs. John Swanson, of Sheffield.

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SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Warren County and to me directed, there will be sold at the Court House, in Warren Borough, Warren County, Pennsylvania, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13, 1949
at ten o'clock A. M., eastern standard time

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Columbus, County of Warren and State of Pennsylvania, being part of Tract No. 37, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of the Greek Catholic Cemetery, thence east eight hundred and ninety-nine and eighty-three one-hundredths (899.83) feet to a point in center of Route No. 657; thence southwesterly along said road, one hundred and sixty-one and five tenths (161.5) feet to the intersection of Route No. 6; thence westerly along the aforesaid Route No. 6, seven hundred and twenty-four and twenty-five one-hundredths (724.25) feet to the southeast corner of the aforesaid Greek Catholic Cemetery; thence north fifteen degrees (15) west along the east line of said Cemetery four hundred and three (403) feet to the place of beginning, containing four (4) acres of land, be the same more or less.

Seized and taken in execution and will be sold as the property of A. E. Canfield and Gladys Francis at the suit of Citizens National Bank of Corry.
L. E. Linder, Sheriff.
Dec. 16-25-30-31

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE
Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Marjorie M. Keeler, late of the Borough of Warren, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.
Teresa B. Keeler, Executrix,
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Harold S. Hampson, Attorney.
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Society

St. Paul's Church Religious Drama Plans Traditional In Youngsville Church On Sunday Service On Friday

The traditional Christmas service in St. Paul's Lutheran church will be held Friday evening, beginning at 11:15 o'clock, and will open with familiar carols sung by the choir.

The senior choir, under the direction of Harvey Horn, will be heard in the following anthems: "Silent Night O'er Hill and Valley," by Ausris A. Wihol; "Each Christmas Night" by Frederick Fay Swift; "Birthday of a King" by W. H. Nelmsinger.

Pastor Nore Gustafson's message on the subject "Tidings of Great Joy" will be based on the text in the gospel of St. Luke 2:10-14.

The organist, Mrs. Emil Jacobson, will present the following organ selections: "Pastoral Symphony" from "The Messiah" by Handel; "Nazareth" by Gounod; and "Christmas Postlude" by William T. Best.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at the morning service on Sunday, and in the afternoon, at 4:30, the Sunday school children will present their Christmas program. This will consist of songs, recitations and readings, and a pageant entitled "Christ Has Come".

The public is cordially invited to all these services.

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The Youngsville Evangelical United Brethren church announces it will present a religious drama, "They That Sit In Darkness", on Sunday evening, December 26, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

The play depicts the story of Miriam, an outcast sinner of Bethlehem, who comes to know a new life through the birth of the Christ. The part of Miriam is played by Jeanne McKinney.

Ruth, daughter of the inn-keeper, is being played by Germaine Mourer, while the inn-keeper is Paul Morris. The part of Mary is being taken by Ann Taylor and the part of Joseph by James Chappel.

Other members of the cast are Bruce McIntyre, Elsa Nelson, Anita Mourer, Nancy Kay, Lilian Nelson, Carolyn Haight, Charles Johnson, Norman Haight, Jack Haight, Alan Carlett, Stewart Smith, Kenneth Boland and Lewis Dove.

Music for the presentation will be furnished by a men's chorus; Miss Jeanine Williams; Mrs. Clare Hendrickson, violinist, with Miss Treva McKinney as accompanist.

The stage setting and lighting will be handled by Kenneth Haight.

A cordial invitation is extended to all in the community to attend this service.

Christmas Masses At Holy Redeemer

Father M. E. Dailey, pastor of Holy Redeemer church, announces today his plans for the Christmas observance in his parish.

The Christmas Eve service will begin at twelve, midnight, with the singing of the Mass of the Holy Angels by William Marsh. The choir will be under the direction of Lewis Hartweg and Mrs. Thomas Donnelly will be at the organ.

Masses on Christmas Day will be sung at 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 and 11:00 o'clock, with music by the youth choir and Mrs. Al Benigni at the organ.

In 2000 years, there will be "standing room only" on earth if the population continues to increase at the present rate of about 2,000,000 a month.

Candlelight Hour At 1st Methodist

The lovely traditional Christmas Service in First Methodist church will be held by candlelight at eleven o'clock. The church will be beautifully decorated with evergreens and candles, with huge chancel candelabra and tall aisle candlesticks lighting the sanctuary.

The Christmas story will be dramatically told in scripture and song, with both the senior and youth choirs leading the procession to the Christ Child. Soloists for the evening will be Monroe Marshall, Roger Thomas, Florence Stevens, Roger Johnson, Tom Erickson, Charles Eaton, Janet and Joyce Furman, Margaret Eaton, Dawn Taft, Coral Tome, Marcia Stevens, Betty Thomas, Bob Lunquist, L. G. Furman and Thomas Conrad.

Members of Grace Methodist church and their pastor, Rev. Harold Knappenberger, are cooperating in this service.

Choral Eucharist At Trinity Church

The Choral Eucharist service will be used for the traditional Christmas Eve worship period in Trinity Memorial Episcopal church according to announcement by the rector, Rev. Beecher M. Rutledge. Details of the service follow:

Organ prelude—Christmas Music, Mally; Christmas Antiphon, Walter; processional—Adeste Fideles; introit—Silver Lambs, Goldsworthy; Kyrie Eleison, Cuntance; gradual—Rosa Mystica, Praetorius; Gloria Tibi and Gratias Tibi, Cuntance; Credo, intoned in F; offertory anthem—Christians Be Joyful, Miles; presentation of the offering; doxology.

Sursum Corda, Sanctus and Benedictus, Tours; carol—In Bethlehem's Manger Lowly, 16th century; communion carol—Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence, French folk song; post-communion Prayer of Thanksgiving; Gloria in Excelsis, Tours; benediction; carol—Silent Night; recessional, Hark, the Herald Angels Sing; organ postlude—In Dulce Jubilo, Bach.

Calvary Baptist Christmas Program

The annual Sunday school Christmas program at Calvary Baptist church will be presented at four o'clock Sunday afternoon and teachers and pupils extend a cordial invitation to all interested to be in attendance.

The first half of the program will consist of recitations and songs by members of the beginner's and primary departments and the second half will be in the form of a candlelight service entitled "The Way to Peace", with Miss Ruth Johnson as leader.

The offering from this service will be held at the Children's Home at New Britain, Conn. Another feature of the service will be the reading by Mrs. H. A. Backstrom of the story of this home, which appeared in Readers Digest.

TIDIOUTE

Tidioute, Dec. 21—The M. E. M. Class of Presbyterian church enjoyed a Christmas party Tuesday evening December 14th at the home of Mrs. Urban Roza assisted by Mrs. Eugene White. The house was very lovely decorated in keeping of the season and exchanging of gifts, followed by a social and refreshments.

The annual Christmas program of Methodist Sunday school will be held Friday, December 24th, in the church parlors, with a program, tree and treat as usual.

At the Christmas service of Methodist church Sunday morning there was special music by the choir. In absence of Rev. Hugh Stevenson the pastor, Mrs. E. E. Kapp conducted the services. Text Gal. 4:4-5 verses.

The annual Christmas program tree and treat will be held in the Presbyterian Sunday school rooms Thursday, December 23rd.

A Christmas operetta, "The Legend of the Snow Man" was presented Monday evening at the high school auditorium, directed by Mrs. Barr supervisor of music, assisted by Mrs. Perkins and Miss Paden. Mrs. Charlotte Roquist was the accompanist on the piano through the entire program. The cast was: Snow man, Howard Byers, Jim Carroll, Lyman Morrison, Mary Carroll, Kлары Kay; News boy, George Clinger, Japanese juggler, Earl Bupp, Mother Gail McIntyre, captain of the tin soldiers, James De Marte, clowns Billy, Albert and Tommy King.

Mrs. Eugene de la Parra of New York City, was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Carnahan.

Jim King, student at Pennsylvania State College, is home for the holidays, guest of his parents.

Miss Margaret McCarthy returned to Tidioute after spending several weeks with her sister in Oil City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brocklehurst and grandson Jack Delhousen, spent Tuesday in Jamestown, N. Y.

Robert E. Merkle returned home Bill Konkle is home for the holidays. He is stationed at Quansette Rhode Island.

Saturday from Pennsylvania College.

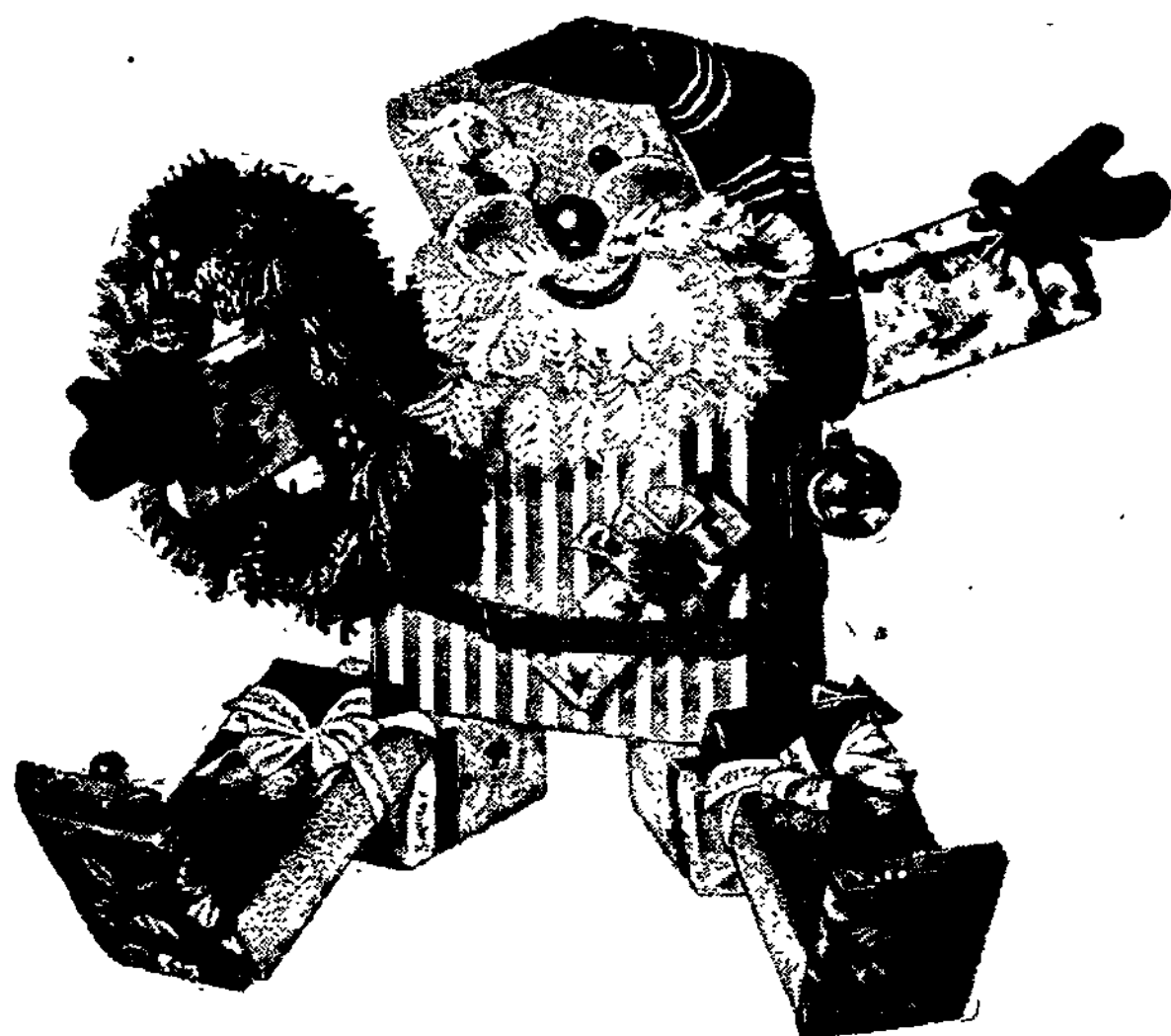
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Santa is all wrapped up in Betty Lee Christmas Gifts

lege to spend the holiday vacation with parents Mr. and Mrs. Karl Merkle.

Ed Lewis has returned home from the Warren General Hospital.

Miss Jaye Roger, student at Allegheny College in Meadville is spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers.

Mrs. Louis Erickson, of Ridgeway is visiting her sister Miss Ida Siggins.

Mrs. Robinson entertained a few boys and girls Sunday Dec. 19 honoring her son Billy's fourth birthday. The little man received some fine gifts and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. H. J. Jennings was a visitor in Warren on Monday.

Mrs. Louise Thompson entertained her pupils with a Christmas party Tuesday forenoon in the kindergarten room, the little children enjoyed Santa Claus and treat.

Miss Ida Siggins had the misfortune to fracture a small bone in her foot.

Quite a number of cases of flu is reported in Tidioute.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Daehousen of Washington, D. C., are spending the holidays with Mrs. Daehousen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Brocklehurst.

WE, THE WOMEN

By Ruth Millett
NEA Staff Writer

One thing that makes modern life so hectic is that most couples accept and give too many "let's-get-it-over-with" invitations.

"We're going to the Joneses this evening," Mama says with finality and when Papa groans: "I could have made up excuses the last three times they've asked us over. After all, I can't go on making excuses forever."

Or it's the other way around and Mama says firmly, "We've simply GOT to do something about the Joneses. Let's have them over for dinner one night, this week and get it over with."

And so it goes. Nobody, of course, knows what percentage of social life is made up of just such "let's-get-it-over-with" get-togethers. But from the way men groan about going out and the way women talk of entertaining as a chore that has to be done, the percentage must be pretty high.

Just think how much more time couples would have for themselves, and how much more time they would have to do the things they

COLLEGE NEWS

Raymon Streich, who is a student at the University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy, has arrived home to spend the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Streich, 3 Center street.

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Mrs. Roy Soderberg, 108 Wood
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School, to be the holiday guest of
Mr. and Mrs. Larry Krespan, 11
Myrtle street.

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Expect Congress To Vote Pay Raise For The Chief Executive

Washington, Dec. 23.—(AP)—For the first time in almost 40 years Congress may vote a pay raise next month for the President.

If it does, it will make Harry S. Truman the government's first \$100,000-a-year man.

A senate civil service subcommittee has a bill ready which would give Mr. Truman a salary increase of \$25,000 a year—plus a \$50,000 addition to his present expense allowance of \$40,000.

The last time a president got a raise was back in 1907 when William Howard Taft was chief executive. Congress at that time upped the pay from \$50,000 to \$75,000.

The subcommittee's bill also would give pay increases to other top-level officials in an effort to keep good men in government service and attract young people into public careers.

Here are the bills' other provisions for pay raises:

Cabinet officers—from \$15,000 to \$25,000.

Vice president and speaker of the house—from \$20,000 a year to \$30,000 plus \$10,000 expense accounts.

Undersecretaries, and heads of independent agencies, boards and commissions—Salaries raised to levels of \$17,500, \$20,000 and \$22,500 depending on their responsibilities.

In addition, the bill would add \$330 to the yearly pay of 13,598 District of Columbia and foreign service employees who were not included in government pay raises voted earlier this year.

Mackenzie's Column

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Foreign Affairs Analyst

The hanging of former Japanese premier Tojo and six other war-lord conspirators against humanity is being received in America with mixed feelings.

My contacts indicate that the reactions range from extreme satisfaction to some uneasiness. On one point everybody seems agreed: If anyone should suffer the death penalty, these seven certainly should.

Of course there is a very large group which is against capital punishment on religious grounds. That viewpoint is pungently expressed in a letter I have received from a Philadelphia boy who says Americans believing in God and Holy Writ are 100 percent against such executions. He further writes:

"I am just a high school senior who has read history. I think the executions in Japan are unusual. We are going back 5,000 years. Our leaders won't learn from history that blood shed upon the battlefield is soon grown over, but blood shed on the scaffold seldom dries. In 100 years the statues of Tojo will be all over Japan."

Here I want to interpolate that an expression like this by a school boy isn't unusual these days. I have found tremendous interest among the teen-age folk in traveling about the country for talks on foreign affairs. Young America is very much alert.

But to get back to our muttons: Apart from this religious opposition, a good many people are concerned over the fact that these and similar trials have been held under rules laid down since the war by the victors. Everybody

agrees that aggressive war is just as much a crime against humanity as the atrocities which may grow out of it. However, a lot of folk—most of all the high military—want to know just how you are going to assess responsibility for the crimes.

You know the top man is guilty. That's Tojo. But are his ministers and the high commands of his fighting forces equally responsible with him? They have to take his orders or be charged with disloyalty to their country. And if they are equally responsible, how far down the line does responsibility go for an order issued at the top? Does it reach down to the rank and file?

I think most of the concern is over whether possibly a precedent is being set for carrying out "justice of the victor."

So far as Tojo and his evil colleagues are concerned, having failed their emperor by not winning the war they should have committed harikari, according to the Japanese code of honor. As a matter of fact Tojo did try but didn't quite succeed. The Allied tribunal has done a better job.

Tojo and War Makers Give Lusty 'Banrai'

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ter, and Hirota, premier in 1936, entered the death chamber at 12:19 a. m. and the traps were sprung at 12:20 a. m.

Tojo was declared dead at 12:10:15 a. m.

Newsman were barred by order of MacArthur.

TODAY is pay day for all the folks who have classified ads.

Charge Made After Probe By UN Group

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ure with the Dutch, negotiators of the Atlantic alliance were reported near final agreement in Washington on a defense treaty linking the U. S. and Canada to the five nations of the western European alliance—Holland one of them.

U. N. observers in Java emphasized indications of widespread use of the torch by Indonesian Republican forces to lay waste to areas they could not hold.

A feminine secretary of one of the GOC delegations said Dutch soldiers in Jogjakarta, the Republican capital, told her heavy fighting developed at two central Java towns, Soerakarta and Magelang, and both were in flames when the Dutch entered.

T. K. Critchley, Australian member of the GOC, said Indonesian resistance was continuing even in Jogjakarta, though Dutch paratroopers and airborne troops captured it in the first few hours of the fighting Sunday.

The Dutch made new admissions of Indonesian resistance and scorched earth tactics. Reviewing the action thus far, the Dutch said the Indonesians put the torch to Tejoep, Java's only oil refinery center before abandoning it.

The Dutch said also the Indonesians fired buildings in Magelang, put up "relatively heavy resistance" east of Poerwokerto which was "overcome the first day," stated a number of fires, especially in large places, in the Magelang valley south of Semarang; put up resistance east of Semarang which took Dutch troops a full day to overcome; hampered the Dutch advance into Tejoep with roadblocks and resisted heavily south-east of Malang.

Christmas Observance Starts For Nation's First Family

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lord, but withheld his reaction. "No comment," he told reporters who questioned him as he left the hotel for Independence yesterday.

The President was finding, again, in this little midwestern town where he began the career that led to the White House, the contentment and happiness of any successful boy at home for the Christmas season.

He looked forward to a big dinner Saturday with his family. There'll be hams and turkeys and all the traditional Christmas delicacies.

House Committee Ties Red Tag On 13 Officers In C. I. O.

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groups which the committee said are trying to influence labor. Among them was the American Labor Party.

4. Said unions would be "wiped out" if the Communists ever ruled.

5. Placed responsibility for cleaning out Red-infested unions primarily on rank and file members.

The committee listed the CIO Transport Workers as one union that "deliberately tried to clean out Communists" under the direction of union president Michel Quill.

Social Events

NEW YEAR'S EVE AT COUNTRY CLUB

Plans are being completed by the entertainment committee of the Conewango Valley Country Club for a New Year's Eve dinner-dance for members and out of town guests. Dinner will be at eight and dancing will be to the music of Paul Michel and his orchestra. Reservations must be made at the clubhouse no later than Tuesday, December 28.

VENANGO CO. FATALITY

Oil City, Dec. 23.—(P)—Dr. Frederick Wilson, Venango county coroner, reported Mrs. Mary Ellen Egge Rice, 37, burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed her home at Rocky Grove.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE

Pittsburgh, Dec. 23.—(P)—(USDA)—Produce demand moderate.

Apples, 6 cars. About steady. U. S. No. 1, bu baskets Pennsylvania York Imperials 2.50, Rome Beauties 3.00-3.25, Staymens and Golden Delicious 3.00; New York McIntosh 3.00-3.50; West Virginia Rome Beauties 3.00; Ohio Staymens 3.25-3.50; eastern crates New York McIntosh 3.25, Wealthies 2.00-2.25.

Potatoes, 3 cars. Steady. U. S. No. 1, 100 lb. sacks Idaho Russet Burbanks and North Dakota Red Verbas 4.00-4.25, Pennsylvania Russet Rurals 2.50-2.75; Katahdins; Maine 3.90-4.00, Pennsylvania 2.75-3.00; 50 lb. sacks Maine 1.90-2.00, New York 1.50; 15 lb. sacks Maine 62-63, Pennsylvania and New York 52-55.

Eggs: Unchanged.

Squirrel fishes keep close to rocks and stay in snadows as much as possible.

BUFALO LIVESTOCK

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 23.—(P)—(State Dept. Agr. & Mkts.)—Salable cattle 100, total 425; run included a load of southern heifers. Cows, bull right light, market steady. Beef cows 17.50-19.50; fat dairy type 17.50-18.50; cutters 15.00-17.00; canners 12.50-14.50; Shelly canners 12.00 and below; good weighty sausage bulls eligible to 20.00; mediums 20.00-22.00; light bulls 19.00 and below.

Calves 50: light receipts in moderately active demand, market steady. Good, choice 33.00-36.00; common, medium 28.00-32.00; culls, boms 22.00-27.00.

Salable hogs 50, total 400: receipts too light to test quotations, market nominally steady. 170-220 lb. state hogs 22.50-23.50; 225-280 lbs. 19.00-22.00; 290-440 lbs. 17.00-19.00; good sows under 500 lbs. 15.00-16.00.

Lambs and sheep 100: No lambs offered to 10 a. m., market nominally steady. Good, choice lambs eligible to 26.00; common, medium 21.50-23.50; good choice heavy-weight ewes eligible to 10.00.

BETTER THAT WAY?

Painters sometimes work with the canvas upside-down, in order to concentrate on the abstract elements of a scene, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

BY AL VERMEER



Obituary

Unless otherwise stated, visiting hours at Warren's funeral homes are from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m.

FRANK CIERZNIK

Funeral services in memory of Frank Cierzniak (Schultz), 10 Marver street, were held at 9 a. M. Wednesday at the Holy Redeemer church, Father M. E. Daley celebrating the requiem mass. Interment followed in St. Joseph's cemetery with Anthony Bunk, Hilmar Pook, William Baldensperger, Albert Schumann, Fred Kusio and Frank Blastic serving as bearers.

Attending from away were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Diana, Erie; Henry Kuzkowsky, David Kuzkowsky, Mrs. Kuzkowsky, Mrs. H. Forest, Ben Yarzof, Josephine Yarzof, Joseph Yarzof, Alexandria Kowatewski and Alex Kowatewski, Buffalo, N. Y.

TERRY MORRIS

Terry, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morris, was found dead in his crib at the home, 801 West Main street, Youngsville, late this morning according to a report to the coroner's office. The cause of the sudden demise had not been determined at press time, although the child had been under a physician's care.

MRS. ELIZABETH WENZEL

Services in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Wenzel, well known resident of Dutch Hill, were held from the Peterson Funeral Home at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon, conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. K. Rogers of First Lutheran church. Interment followed in Oakland cemetery, with the following serving as bearers: Eugene, Alvin and Elton Wenzel, Junior Hillard, Chester Anderson and James Miller.

Those who came from away to attend the rites were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bell, Westfield, N. Y.; Mrs. Leon De Cecco, Erie; Mrs. Ella Conklin, Pittsfield; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowland, Lander; Mrs. Elizabeth Pierce, Russell; Mrs. Flossie Wenzel, Sinclairville, N. Y.; Hilda Wright, East Hickory.

Times Topics

BOAT RECOVERED

A flat boat belonging to Dr. Robert S. Gibb, Crescent Park, which has been missing for the last two days was located by city police at the airport this morning. Somebody apparently had been for a joyride.

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

The many friends of Mrs. Paul Leiby, of Rogertown, will be sorry to learn that she suffered a fainting attack in the G. C. Murphy store this morning about 10:15 o'clock. She was removed to Warren General Hospital by the Lutz ambulance.

CONDITION GOOD

The condition of William H. (Red) Wood, 218 Canton street, who was admitted to Warren General Hospital yesterday suffering a heart attack is reported as good this morning. His many friends will be happy to learn. He will be confined to the hospital for at least two weeks and is not allowed visitors for the present.

AT THE HOSPITAL

2:00 to 3:00-7:00 to 8:00 p. m. Visiting Hours

Admitted Wednesday

Mrs. Doris Marker, 21 West Third avenue.

William H. Wood, 218 Canton street.

Sharon Lord, Sheffield.

Dennis Orinko, Sheffield.

James Littlefield, Trueman.

James Blackman, 406 West Fifth avenue.

Gladden M. Geslin, Tidioute.

Discharged Wednesday

Roland Collins, Kinzua.

Mrs. Lottie Himes, Tiona.

Mrs. Edna Hetrick, Clarendon.

Spencer Myer, 304½ Third avenue.

Linda, William and Raymond Beane, Russell, R. D. 2.

Frank Bonavita, 1014 Fourth avenue.

Henry Rudolph, Endeavor.

C. Henry Ott, Russell, R. D. 2.

Mrs. Mary Haggerty, Clarendon, R. D. 1.

Mrs. Vernus Moser, 503 West street.

Mrs. Lillian Dunham, 335 Hickory street.

Mrs. Agnes Ross, 222 Main avenue.

Mrs. Doris Stewart, North Warren.

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Peace Move?

A new cabinet, being formed in Nationalist China under Premier Designate Sun Fo, above, son of Sun Yat-sen, founder of the Chinese Republic, is seen as a possible move toward a negotiated peace with the Communists. Strong efforts are being made to win the services of men who favor making peace.

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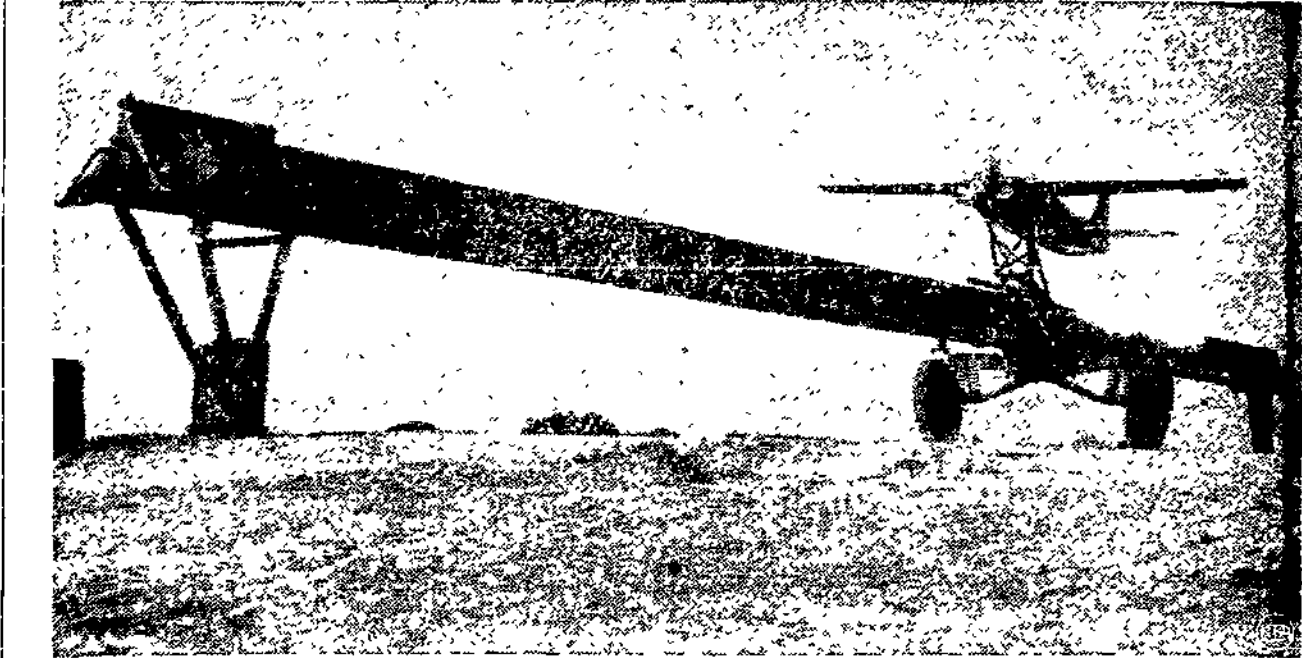
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Air Force Pops Away at 220-MPH 'Clay Pigeon'



Taxing along a 60-foot catapult, before a rocket launches it into the air, is the Air Force's new remote-controlled target plane, the OQ-19A. Shot into the air at a speed of 80 miles an hour, the tiny plane is capable of doing 220 miles an hour and performing intricate aerial maneuvers. The plane was tested at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, O.

River Bank Pile-Up



A Missouri-Pacific freight train, 104 cars long, was crossing this bridge over the Arkansas River near McGehee, Ark., when a pier of the bridge collapsed. Nineteen cars piled up at the point of derailment, center, and eight cars fell into the river when a section of the bridge gave way. The locomotive and 23 cars made it safely to the other side. A conductor, riding the caboose, was slightly injured. The freight was en route from Memphis, Tenn., to Louisiana and Texas.

But the Witness Didn't Show



Rep. Clare Hoffman presides over his one-man House labor subcommittee with only reporters present as he waited in vain for the arrival of witness Philip Murray, CIO president. Murray notified the Michigan Republican earlier that he would ignore his subpoena on the grounds that a one-man subcommittee was not a legal subcommittee and that the subcommittee did not have subpoena powers. Hoffman wanted to ask Murray about his views on strike violence that occurred at the Kalamazoo, Mich., plants of the Shakespeare Co.

Year-Long Christmas Spirit Only Desire of Alias Santa

(From Page One)

International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 343, United Re-frining Co., \$10; Warren Kiwanis Club \$25; \$1.00 from a friend; \$10 from the Marconi Bridge Club; \$5.00 from Russell Templeton; \$5.00 from Mr. and Mrs. Emil Johnson; \$1.00 from Joan and Jim Kahle; and three anonymous contributions, one for \$5.00 and two for \$2.00.

"That's the list of those who sent money. Also I want to thank the Junior Church of the Chanders Valley United Brethren church for a nice big box of toys and clothing and Mrs. George Grosch for a big bag of Toys."

Price of Milk Is Reduced In Easter Area

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dred weight in Philadelphia; \$5.69 in Philadelphia suburb; \$5.50 in Allentown - Lehigh. The latter price, however, is based on a higher butterfat content than those in other areas.

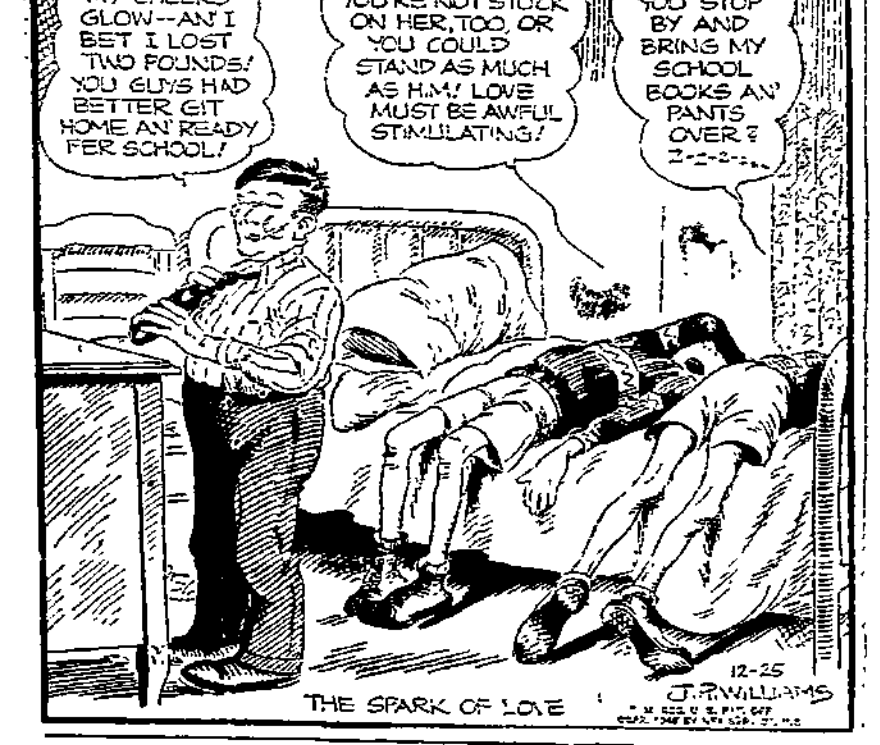
The new orders also reduce the price of cream two to four cents a half-pint in all the areas, depending on the amount of butterfat. The commission declined to fix any prices for skim milk not used by humans for the months of April, May and June next year. Price conference yesterday, sought to establish a price for the skim milk.

CLASSIFIED ADS accepted until 11 a. m. on day of publication.

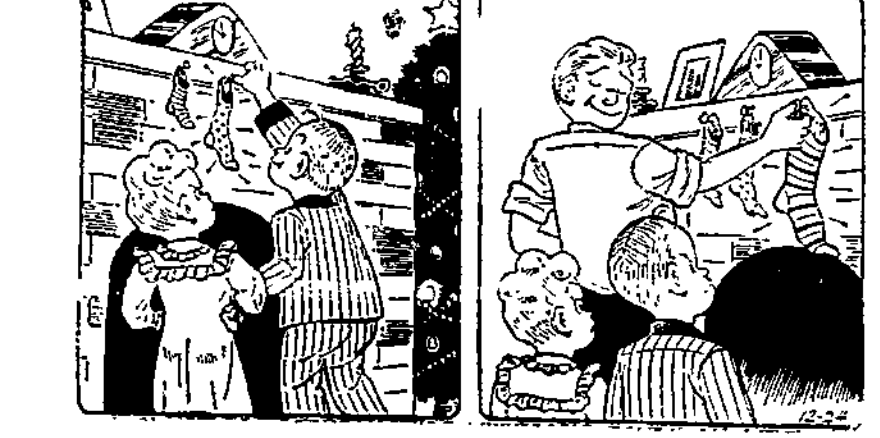
OUT OUR WAY



BY J. R. WILLIAMS



PRISCILLA'S POP



A black and white illustration of a crowd of people with exaggerated, expressive faces, looking upwards with various emotions like surprise, joy, and concern. The style is reminiscent of mid-20th-century political posters or propaganda art. The faces are rendered with bold lines and high contrast, showing a range of expressions from wide-eyed amazement to open-mouthed shouting. The composition is dense, with many faces overlapping and filling the frame, creating a sense of a large, diverse group of people. The overall tone is one of intense public interest or reaction.

... it was known and sung all over the world by nearly every race and nationality:—of Sudarinese Arabs, by Hindu boys in India, by East Africans, Chinese and Japanese, as well as Europeans it came to America in 1850 and immediately became a favorite for Christmas carolers.

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... or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is mere insect, an ant, in his intellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, you know that they abound and give life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how creary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith there, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We would have no enjoyment except by sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch the smoke, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, that would not prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders that are unseen and unseeable in the world. Only faith, faith, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the eternal beauty and glory beyond. It is real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else so real as abiding.

No Santa Claus! Than God! he lives, and he lives forever. In the past, years from now, Virginia, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will make glad the hearts of childhood."

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Attention! All entries in the children's Room Ski-run must be in the foot of the run, all stories reported, by Monday evening, December 27th.

As a special reward, a party will be given for all who complete the run by the deadline set. The date of the party is December 30th at 2 P. M., in the Children's Room and the prizes will be awarded at that time.

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SPORT NEWS

Hank Borowy Happy Over Shift To Phils

Philadelphia, Dec. 23—(P)—Hank Borowy let it be known today that he's mighty happy he was evicted from the Chicago Cubs' doghouse to become a tenant in the Philadelphia Phillies' pitching box.

Hank was part of the four-player swap that brought Eddie Walker to the Phils and sent Dutch Leonard and Walt Dubiel to the Cubs this month.

Borowy admits he "sulked a little" over the way Cub Manager Charley Grimm used him last season, but insists he is nowhere near finished as a winner despite a wretched record of five victories and 10 losses last season.

The 30-year-old righthander put it this way:

"I like to pitch in turn and feel that I can pitch my own game without half a dozen people telling me what to throw and how to throw it."

"Last Summer I'd start one day and the next day I'd relieve if we were in a tight game and the next day I'd finish a game that was hopelessly lost."

"I'm glad I was traded to the Phils. They need pitchers and I want to pitch."

Borowy, the Fordham University graduate from Bloomfield, N. J., broke into the major leagues with the New York Yankees in 1942 and was a mainstay of the pitching staff that helped the Yanks to pennants in 1942 and 1943.

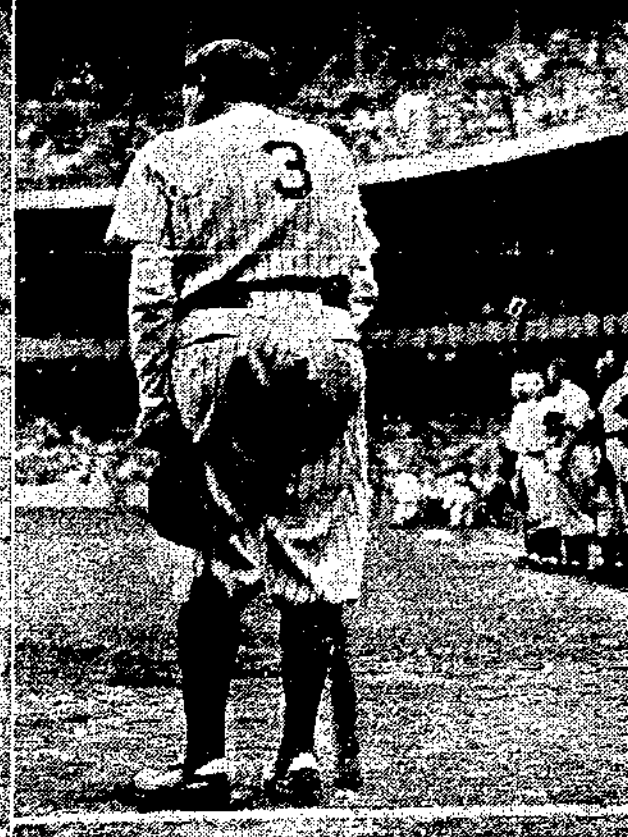
Then in one of the most surprising moves in baseball history, Borowy was sold to the Cubs in mid-season of '45 for a reported \$100,000. He won 11 and lost two for the Cubs and led them to the National League flag that year.

But, says Hank, he got into Grimm's doghouse early in 1947.

Big Moments In Sports In 1948



Phil Masi gets his hand on second base in a desperate headlong dive to escape being tagged out by Lou Boudreau in the controversial pick-off play in the eighth inning of the first game of the World Series. Umpire Bill Stewart ruled the Braves' catcher safe, and the Indians stormed all over him. Note Masi's cap next to the shortstop's glove. Tommy Holmes followed this up with a



single that beat Bob Feller, 1-0, despite a two-hit performance.

With old teammates, Babe Ruth, a very sick and wasted man, wearing his famous number three, returned in uniform to Yankee Stadium for the last time, June 13, celebrating the 25th anniversary of the park he built.

Grim Reaper Hovers Over Spy Hearings

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington—(P)—If you've ever read a Greek tragedy, you'll remember how it was... Death hovered over it. You could almost feel the chill breeze from its slow, circling wings. Then it pounced.

In the Washington spy case death has swooped twice and has even struck along the edges.

It began its slow circling on Friday, Aug. 13...

That was the day Harry Dexter White sat down in the hearing room of the House Un-American Activities Committee to try to clear his name.

His name had been brought into the spy case by Elizabeth T. Bentley and Whittaker Chambers. They are both ex-Communists who said they had been messengers for a Communist underground among government officials.

Neither said White was a Communist. But Miss Bentley said he had been part of a group set up to give Communists inside government information. Chambers said White had been closely tied in with the Communists.

So White asked for a hearing, for a chance to defend himself publicly, although he was very ill. He had had a heart attack some time before.

He denied ever being a Communist or close to being one; ever knowing Miss Bentley or Chambers. He protested his loyalty to the United States. The questioning began...

When the questioning ended White went home. In a couple of days he was dead of another heart attack.

Then there was Laurence Duggan, 43 years old.

For 13 years he had worked for the state department, held a job of great trust.

He died Monday night in a fall from his office window on the 16th floor of a New York building.

Shocked when he heard of Duggan's death, Sumner Welles, former undersecretary of state, said of him:

"He was one of the most brilliant, most devoted and most patriotic public servants I have ever known."

But his name, too, had been brought into the spy case. In a mixed up way with no charge ever made against him.

The records of the Un-American Activities Committee show that Isaac Don Levine, a friend of Chambers, told the committee this:

"That Chambers once had mentioned Duggan as one of six people in the state department who had passed confidential information along."

But yesterday Chambers denied he had ever said what Levine said he had said. That Duggan gave out information.

In fact, Chambers said, he had never met Duggan. He added: "He was a gentle and sensitive man from what I heard about him and he was devoted to his family."

Last week Chambers' wife, who hasn't been involved in the case at all, was charged in the automobile death of a woman on a Maryland road.

Mrs. Chambers was driving to the station to pick up Chambers who had been testifying before a New York grand jury which was investigating the spy case, too.

The only team in the National Football League annually to play Thanksgiving Day games is the Detroit Lions.

Harry Heilmann, former Detroit Tiger baseball great, and now a radio broadcaster on the Tiger games also assists in the airing of Detroit Lions football games.

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Yellow Jackets Nudge Red Raider Quintet

Yellow Jackets nudged the Red Raiders, 26 to 23, in a nip and tuck YMCA Junior Basketball League game on the Y floor yesterday. Tom Campbell swished the cords for five baskets to lead the Yellow Jackets with 10 points, while McGarry was high for the Raiders with six.

Scores by quarters:

Jackets 2 10 4 10—26
Raiders 4 5 10—23

Next league game, marking the start of the second round of the first half, will be played Monday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock with the Panthers facing the Red Raiders.

Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
Panthers	3	0	1.000
Raiders	2	1	.667
Yellow Jackets	2	1	.333
Red Raiders	0	3	.000

Announce Rosters of Teams For Youngsville Cage Loop

Team rosters for the newly-organized Youngsville Industrial Basketball League which will open firing on the Youngsville high school floor Monday night, Jan. 3, were announced by League Secretary Nick Spear, as follows:

Tigers—Ronnie Thompson (captain), Jack Woods, Ross Bailey, Bob York, Ben Randinelli, Harold Thompson, Sherwood Fleming, Bill Unterreiner, Bob Walter, Charley Jones and Oscar Pierson.

Wolves—Elmer Olson (captain),

Ronnie Wood, Bill Sandberg, Jerry Schunacher, Bill Howe, Butch Skelley, Jim Thompson, Neil Trask, Allen Tubbs and Kenny Johnson.

Bears—Clair Schnell (captain), Jack Dalley, Ray Walter, Warren McAllister, Jack Abplanalp, Chuck Higgins, Chuck Zueri, Tony Spear, Reid Pierson and George Walter.

Pirates—Joe Titito (captain), Ab Mack, Nick Spear, Lefty Tellmann, Andy Randinelli, Bill Meleen, Jay Thompson, Bill Abplanalp, Earl Arnold, John Randinelli, Roger Smith and Deac Lay.

Teams Both Ready For Orange Bowl

Miami, Fla., Dec. 23—(P)—North and South teams are all set for their inter-sectional gridiron battle in the Orange Bowl Christmas night.

Coach Herman Hickman of Yale announced his north team's starting backfield, and the South unanimously elected Mississippi's great Barney Poole to captain them in the Mahi Shrine set-to.

The Eli mentor said his boys "would spend the day working on kicking and punt protection. Then we'll be ready for those rebels."

Hickman said his team looked better than ever yesterday after the arrival of three Notre Dame players, Terry Brennan, John Fallon and Bill Walsh.

After watching the boys work-out, Hickman said he would start Terry Brennan at right halfback, with Tex Furse, Yale, quarterback, Elwood Fitchell, Penn State, left halfback, and John Weber, Princeton, fullback.

Connie Mack, At 86, Looks Forward To Next Ball Season

Philadelphia, Dec. 23—(P)—Connie Mack, the grand old gentleman of baseball, observed his 86th birthday today.

And the nicest present anyone could offer him would be an outfielder who could swat the ball like a couple of gents Connie had on his clubs in the past.

"But you don't get anything for nothing," Mr. Mack observed with the assurance of a man who has been trying to get something and give up little for 48 years.

There's nothing wrong with Mr. Mack's 1949 edition of Philadelphia Athletics that a home run hitter like Jimmy Fox or Al Simmons couldn't correct.

"We made money this year," Connie remarked, "and I'm willing to pay plenty for players. But

City League Games Booked For Tonight

Two battles between evenly matched squads will highlight YMCA City Basketball League competition tonight on the Y floor.

At 7:30 o'clock, the New Process five tangles with Struthers Wells.

An hour later, the Rockets will take the floor for a match against the Warren Business School quintet.

The games are open to the public, with admission being 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for students.

BRADFORD PLAYS TONIGHT
A sparse holiday interscholastic basketball program tonight will include one top game, parring Ellwood City against Bradford on the Owls floor. All Warren county teams will remain idle until next Tuesday.

A 20-game schedule will be played by Auburn's 1948-49 basketball squad. The Tigers will appear in 16 Southeastern Conference contests and four non-league matches.

NEWELL PRESS

Earl Sherman racked up a new high single game score of 233 sticks in Newell Press tenpin league competition on Penn slides as his team, the Linotypes, whitewashed the Monotypes. In a second clash, Electrotypes topped the Stereotypes, 3-1.

Standings	W.	L.	Pct.
Stereotypes	42	14	.750
Linotypes	30	26	.538
Electrotypes	25	31	.446
Monotypes	14	42	.250

LEADERS
High Single Game, E. Sherman—233.
High Three Game, E. Sherman—620.
High Team Game, Linotypes—925.
High Team Total, Stereotypes—2837.
Honor Roll—Bessey 187, Sherman 233, Knupp 204.

LEONARD APPLICANT FOR DUESNE POST

Pittsburgh, Dec. 23—(P)—Jim Leonard, who once coached the Pittsburgh Steelers of the National Football League, is the latest applicant for the coaching vacancy at Duquesne University, it was reported today.

The Duquesne post has been vacant since the resignation of Kass Kovalchek three weeks ago.

Leonard, former head coach at St. Francis College, Loretto, and Steelers' pilot in 1945, operates an asparagus farm at Mullica Hill, N. J.

In three Southwest Conference games this season, Texas' football team overcame half-time deficits to win against Rice, Baylor and TCU.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

By The Associated Press
Temple 51, Colorado 50.
Syracuse 67, Iowa State 46.
William & Mary 73, Albright 54.
Manhattan 68, Springfield (Mass) 53.
Lafayette 67, Georgia Tech 59.
Wagner 58, Brooklyn College 53.
Lafayette 62, New York AC 48.
St. Francis (Bkn) 62, Iowa 57.
St. Peters (NJ) 56, St. Michaels (VT) 54.
Moravian 76, Drew 56.
Rider 54, Paterson Teachers 41.
Phila. Pharmacy 73, Fort Knox 62.
College South Jersey 50, Fairleigh Dickinson 48.
Kentucky 51, Tulane 47.
Baltimore Loyola 56, Detroit 58.
Pitt 80, Miami (Fla) 49.
Chicago Loyola 56, DePaul 44.
Notre Dame 70, Navy 62.
Minnesota 52, St. Mary's (Calif) 42.
Bradley 60, Los Angeles Loyola 50.
Youngstown 51, Penn 44.
Ohio State 68, California 64.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

By The Associated Press
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38 Business Opportunities

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54 Business and Office Equipment

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56 Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer

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Tionesta Home Economics Students Plan New Rooms

Home economics students of the Tionesta public school will abandon their present class rooms on the first of the year.

New quarters are being provided in a home, located on the former Sara Bovard estate.

Fred Jaun, school board trustee, is local contractor in charge of the remodeling project. The most extensive alterations are being made in the construction of a model kitchen.

Laboratory-type class rooms will be replaced by a two-story, four-room home, in which students will work in an environment typical of their chosen subject.

The home and property which is next to the school ground, was purchased by the school board on October 1 for \$5,000.

Mrs. Forest J. Bovard, board president, stated the work started at this time will provide adequate facilities for instruction. The project, she added, will not be completed until another \$5,500 is raised from popular subscription and board funds to provide for fixtures which will be needed.

Remodeling costs to the board at this time will be \$1,500. The expense of an additional \$500 for an electric range and refrigerator will be borne by the Tionesta Parent-Teacher association, Mrs. Bovard stated. The P.T.A. plans to continue soliciting funds for this part of the project.

Employed on the work are two carpenters, an electrician and a plumber.

Plans call for a kitchen, living room and sewing room, each to be 14 by 23 feet. The bedroom will be 14 by 13 feet, and a bathroom

Times Topics

STORE SOLD

Mitchell's Confectionery, 1205 Pennsylvania avenue, east, next to Russell field, has been sold to Anthony and Jack Mangini, of Frank street, it was announced today by Louis Frederickson, of Walter M. Peterson Realty Agency.

PROWLER SIGHTED

Presumably the same prowler who peered into the windows of an east side home over the week end

Film Capital Folks Tell Of Their Desires

By BOB THOMAS
Associated Press Staff Writer
Hollywood—What should Santa
Claus bring Hollywood for Christ-
mas?

The question is not as dreamy
as it might first seem. This is
the season when the whole nation
is making wishes about what gifts
would be welcomed. And—if you
would listen to its inhabitants—
Hollywood's needs are consid-
erable.

So I have wheeled out the AP
Hollywood Forum to ask stars
what they think the movie town
needs from Santa. Most of them
came up with fast replies. Such
as these—

Eddie Cantor: "A book on 'How
to Act in Public.'"

Shirley Temple: "The ability to
continue to entertain people."

Dennis O'Keefe: "That the
good things Hollywood is doing—
such as benefits, hospital tours—
would be as highly publicized as
the few bad things."

Ava Gardner: "Good pictures."

Anne Baxter: "A five-day
week."

Dinah Shore: "A good public
relations director who could let
the public know that Hollywood
is a pretty sane place, despite a
few notables who make headlines."

Gail Russell: "Rain."

Bob Hope: "Take away the
smog—so we can look at the scen-
ery again."

June Allyson: "Lower taxes."

Esther Williams: "Peace and
goodwill. And make everybody
love everybody — then we'll make
better pictures."

Red Skelton: "A little personal
kindness. It will go a long way."

Jimmy Stewart: "A little man—
maybe an elf—who will go around
the country and tell everybody
that movies are swell and film
people are really fine folks."

Larry Parks: "A great deal of
honest courage."

Judy Garland: "A white Christ-
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- 17.98 Satin Draperies Reduced to 14.98
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- 4.98 Satin Pillow Shams at only 2.98
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